

RESOLUTION NO. 196

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF PARKER; SUPPORTING COASTAL SYSTEMS
STATION IN THEIR EFFORTS OF LOCATING THE
RIVERINE TRAINING CENTER AT COASTAL
SYSTEMS STATION, PANAMA CITY BEACH, FLORIDA.**

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker, having met in session concerning the possible establishment of a Naval Training Project in Panama City Beach on this 16th day of February, 1999; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker is fully aware that bringing this training station to Panama City Beach will greatly enhance our local economic situation; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker is desirous of soliciting new, non-pollutant, environmentally sound industries and organizations to relocate and/or establish in Panama City Beach, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker, having been apprized of the State of Florida's future need for economic development opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker understands that the Coastal Systems Station in Panama City Beach would be locating a Riverine Training Center to Coastal Systems Station, which would employ 300(+) people and have an annual operating budget in the millions of dollars; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Parker understands the importance of community development in locating such a facility in Bay County and the impact it would have on surrounding counties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARKER:

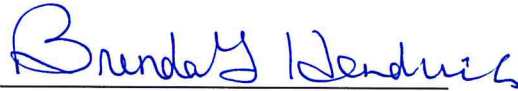
The said Council is desirous of the Riverine Training Center locating at the Coastal Systems Station, within Bay County and operating in the river systems of the Panhandle of Florida; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The City Council of the City of Parker will work with the Coastal Systems Station and Riverine Training Center to assist in this project for the betterment of our state and nation.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of February, 1999.

CITY OF PARKER, FLORIDA



Brenda G. Hendricks
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Mayor

ATTEST:



David Linger
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City Clerk